Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application.

Claims 1-8 are amended.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus ~~provided with~~ comprising: a holder [[(5)]] for coffee powder and a dosing mechanism, the dosing mechanism being provided with a dosing chamber ~~(7), which is~~ bounded at a lower side by a bottom wall [[(8)]] with a discharge opening ~~(9), and which is~~ and bounded at an upper side by an upper wall [[(10)]] with a feed opening [[(11)]], the feed opening being rotationally staggered relative to the discharge opening, such that the upper wall extends above the discharge opening, a dosing element [[(12)]] bounding portion spaces and being rotatable about a substantially vertically extending axis ~~being~~ arranged in the dosing chamber [[(7)]], a driving element ~~(13) being~~ connected with the dosing element [[(12)]], wherein the driving element comprises a manually operable handle [[(13)]], a coupling provided between the handle [[(13)]] and the dosing element [[(12)]] ~~a coupling (14, 15, 16) being provided, which is~~ such that the dosing element [[(12)]] is rotatable in ~~limited~~ subsequent discrete steps, wherein at the end of a first discrete ~~limited~~ step a first of the ~~mentioned~~ portion spaces ~~being~~ is located above the discharge opening, and a ~~next limiting~~ subsequent discrete step ~~being~~ is startable only after the ~~preceding limited~~ first discrete step has been rounded off completely, the coupling ~~(14, 15, 16)~~ comprising a double ratchet mechanism.

2. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the double ratchet mechanism is provided with a ratchet wheel [[(14)]], a first ratchet spring [[(15)]] and a second ratchet spring [[(16)]], the ratchet wheel [[(14)]] ~~being~~ is connected with the dosing element [[(12)]] so as to be restrained from rotation, the first ratchet spring [[(15)]] ~~being~~ is connected with the handle [[(13)]], the second ratchet spring [[(16)]] ~~being~~ is firmly connected with the lower side of the bottom wall [[(8)]], the ratchet wheel [[(14)]] ~~being~~ is located at the lower side of the bottom wall [[(8)]].

3. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein a loosening element is located above the upper wall [[(10)]] of the dosing chamber [[(7)]] ~~a loosening element (18) is located, which~~ and is connected with the dosing element [[(12)]] so as to be restrained from rotation.

4. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim [[3]] 1, wherein the loosening element [[(18)]] comprises a central hub [[(20)]] with a number of arms [[(21)]] radially extending from [[this]] the hub [[(20)]].

5. (Currently Amended) A coffee apparatus according to claim 4, wherein the position of the arms [[(21)]] is staggered relative to ~~the parts (22)~~ arms of the dosing element [[(12)]] bounding the portion spaces.

6. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein a wiper [[(24)]] is connected with the dosing element [[(12)]] so as to be restrained from rotation, ~~which~~ wherein the wiper [[(24)]] is arranged to wipe clean a transparent side wall of the holder [[(5)]].

7. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein a coffee grinder [[(2)]] is mountable on an upper side of the holder [[(5)]].

8. (Currently Amended) A coffee dosing apparatus according to claim 7, wherein an upper wall of the holder [[(5)]] is provided with thread~~, on which thread~~ for mounting a closing cover ~~is mountable, as well as~~ and a connecting ring [[(4)]] is provided with thread for fastening the coffee grinder [[(2)]] on the holder [[(5)]].